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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Seiji NAKAHATA	:	Confirmation Number: Not yet assigned
Application No.: Not yet assigned	:	Group Art Unit: Not yet assigned
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For: GROUP III NITRIDE CRYSTAL AND PRODUCTION METHOD FOR SAME	:	

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.